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Message: Dear Examiner Nuynh::

Enclosed please an amendment/response for filing in the above-referenced patent application. Please let me know if you have any question. After you have reviewed the enclosed, I would like to discuss this application with you at your earliest convenience. Please let me know the appropriate time. Thank you. I have also enclosed a change of correspondence address.

Very truly yours,

Henry D. Coleman

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****PATENT**

In re patent application of: ROBERTSON et al.

Serial No.: 09/380,327

Filed: September 3, 1999

For: TREATMENT AND DIAGNOSIS OF INFERTILITY  
USING TGF $\beta$  OR ACTIVIN

Examiner: Huynh

Art Unit: 1644

Docket #: P07407US00/BAS

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

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Attached is:

- ..... a response after Final Rejection dated
- ..... a response to the Office Action dated
- ..... a Preliminary Amendment
- ..... a Petition for an extension of time
- ☒ Other: Letter to Examiner; Change of Correspondence Address; Revocation and  
Power of Attorney; copy of Response filed June 14, 2001

Fees: For claims if required and/or other fees as shown below:

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INDEP. CLAIMS				X \$ 84 =	
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Reduction by 1/2 for small entity status of applicant					
SUBTOTAL =					
Fee for extension of time (per attached Petition)					
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☒ In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted herewith and that a separate petition is not submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. Any fee is authorized above.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 31 January 2002

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C.

S I R:

Pursuant to the telephone conversation with Examiner Hunyh and Applicants' representative earlier today, Applicant herein encloses a copy of the Amendment filed by facsimile on June 14, 2001 in response to the Official Action dated March 14, 2001. In addition to the response, a copy of the facsimile record sheet showing that the foregoing transmission was received at Group 1800 on June 14, 2001 is also enclosed.

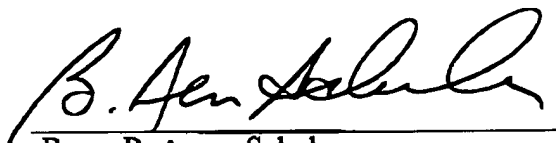
In addition, Applicants are refiling their Revocation and Power of Attorney which establishes the Power of Attorney for the undersigned counsel, and are refiling the request for change in correspondence address as well. If there is any problem in changing the correspondence, please contact the undersigned immediately by telephone at 703-739-4900.

In light of the enclosed Amendment which was timely transmitted and received by Group 1800 on June 14, 2001, Applicants respectfully request entrance and consideration of the enclosed Amendment to the extent that the Examiner has not previously considered it.

The undersigned counsel requests confirmation by the Examiner that the enclosed Amendment has been entered and will be considered.

Respectfully submitted,

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